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WEATHER—Utah: Tonight and Tuesday Generally Cloudy; Probably Local Snow; Not Much Change In Not Much Change

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ALLIES CONTINUE ATTACK ON THE GERMAN YSER CANAL POSITION

French Claim Superiority in Offensive All Along Line-Germans Announce They Are in Possession of Lodz-Russian Losses Were Very Large-Attempt of Czar's Forces to Bring Up Reinforcements Foiled by Austro-Hungarian Troops.

HUNGARY WEAK POINT IN THE ALLIANCE

Servia and Montenegro Holding Austrian Invaders in Check Russians Auxiliaries Destroy Turkish Submarines in Black Sea-Famous Cruiser Hamidieh Is Crippled by Mine-Sensation in Rome-Russians' New Auxiliaries Plan of Offensive at Cracow-Two British Merchantmen Sent to Bottom.

Bordeaux, via Paris, Dec. 7, 5:15 p. m.—President Poincare will transfer his official residence to Paris this week. He naval experts would have to deterwill arrive there in time to preside at a cabinet meeting on Representative Kahn of California,

Paris, Dec. 7, 2:45 p. m .- The | French war office gave out an offi-cial communication today as follows: tinued to attack the few entrench-strategy contemplates a shifting of ments still held by the enemy on the the main attack from central Poland

left bank of the canal. Argonne, there is nothing to report, tive. the superiority of our offensive. In of the Russian army in Galicia, Champagne our heavy artillery, on several different occasions, has shown marked superiority over the enemy.

"There is nothing new on the eastern front of our line where the positions of previous days have been tom by German guns.

Germans Are Successful,

Berlin, Dec. 7, by wireless to London, 3 p. m.—The German official statement given out in Berlin this afternoon says that in northern Poland, German forces were successful in prolonged fighting around Lodz, in defeating strong Russian forces stationed to the northwest and the south-

The text of the announcement fol-

'No especial reports have been re ceived from the western theatre of the war nor from the region to the

"In northern Poland we gained imng around Lodz by defeating strong Russian forces stationed to the northwest and to the southwest of this

Lodz In German Possession. "Lodz is in our possession. Details of the battle cannot be made public because of the immense field over which the battle was fought. The Russian losses were very large. An attempt by the Russians to come to the assistance of their threatened armies in the north from northern Poland was foiled by the activity of the Austrian Hungarian troops in the district southwest of Pitrokow.

Germans Again Occupy Lodz.

London, Dec. 7, 11:53 a. m.-A comparison of the reports from Berlin and Petrograd leads to the conclu-Lodz from which city they were driven on their first retreat from Warsaw. Berlin makes positive announcement that Lodz is in their hands, while Petrograd admits that the situation there is desperate. If the fall of the city is a fact, it indicates that communication with Warsaw is again seriously menaced.

trograd declares that the Russians it was German owned. This decision are strong enough to hold the invad- upset the contention of the defense ers in northern Poland and will content themselves with doing this while devoting the main energies to the re- at purfleet, England, was immune duction of Cracow and the invasion from confiscation. of Hungary.

Hungary a Weak Point. Hungary, according to reports from the Russian capital, is the weak point in the armor of the Teuton allies. These messages from Petrograd say that even as early as at the time of the fall of Lemberg Austria asked Russia for terms of peace. The negotiations to this end, if any really took place, apparently proved abortive. The story is again revived in Petrograd in the form of a report that the Hungarian prime minister, on a recent visit to Emperor William, demanded better military protection for Hungary, lack of which would cause

the loss of the kingdom. A special dispatch has been re ceived to the effect that Ostend is burning. The latest statements from Montenegro and Servin indicate that these Balkan allies, at bay in their mountain strongholds, are holding the Austrian invaders in check.

Destruction of Turkish Auxiliaries. On the water some minor activity has been noted resulting in the reported destruction of Turkish auxillaries in the Black sea by Russian submarines; destruction by mines of two Swedish merchant ships off the Finnish coast and the crippling by a mine of the famous Turkish cruiser Hamidieh, which is said to have regained Constantinople with consider-

able difficulty. Diplomatically, interest is centered on Rome, where the statement of former Premier Giolitti that Austria

planned war against Servia in 1913 has caused something of a sensation. nearing a reapproachment which will Gardner, because he thought it was sumed grave responsibilities which enable them to make common cause an unwise way of handling a questant of the common cause and unwise way of handling a questant will be able to judge later against thet Germanic allies.

From Russian sources comes the in-Cracow, it is said, is now under the "In the region of the Yser we con- fire of Russian artillery, and Russian "In the region of Armentieres and push on from the region of Cracow of Arras, as well as in the Oise ter- and enter Germany across the Siritory, in the Alsne region and in the lesian border, with Breslau the objec-Such a movement probably except to refer in general terms to would involve a large reinforcement

> Germans Destroy British Ship. Another British merchantman, the Charcas, which sailed from New York October 1 for western South American ports, has been sent to the bot-

The transport Prinz Eitel Friedrich sunk the Charcas off the Chilean German transport was accompanied the South Atlantic.

east of the plain of the Mazurian front, sent two long letters to his running expenses of the institution. mother relating his experiences and In northern Poland we gained imobservations. Both letters were opentober. A few of the leading spirits one of a foreign fleet. The safe ared by the censor and officially passed in the name of humanity and to show rival of two American destroyers at n the same manner as those of the appreciation ordinary soldier. It is expected that evinced by Russians toward Amer-the prince will remain abroad for ican residents in the country, called was riding out the storm off the Delholidays with his parents.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 7, via London, 1:50 p. m.-In connection with had been made to guarantee the sucthe alleged violation of the neutrality of the air over Switzerland, it became known here today that when gaged and everything in readiness Great Britain expressed to the Swiss Federal council regret that her aviators had inadvertently failed to observe their instructions and avoid Swiss territory when flying to Fried-rischfen in Germany, the British authorities expressly declared that this must not be interpreted as a recogsion that the Germans again occupy nition by the British government of the existence of a sovereignty of the

London, Dec. 7, 3 p. m .- The prize court settled an interesting legal American colony. point today by ruling that the entire cargo of oil of the British tank steamer Rumanian which sailed on Novem ber 17 from Port Arthur, Texas, for A semi-official statement from Pe- Hull was subject to seizure because that 4800 tons of oll which at the time of seizure had been discharged Senator Bradley, was sworn in

> Paris, Dec. 7, 1:02 a. m.-A dispatch to the Havas agency from Petrograd says: "The Germans have trograd says: destroyed the monastery of Lenozyca about 15 miles northwest of Lodz, which has been in existence for a thousand years, on the poor pretext that the ringing of the angelus was a signal for the Russians. In the at-

WILSON OPPOSES GARDNER'S PLAN

Washington, Dec. 7 .- President Wilson announced today he was opposed to Representative Gardner's plan for investigating the preparedness of the intended to expose the vicissitudes United States for National defense traversed for military preparation, because he thought it was an unwise sins against the fatherland." way of handling "a question which might create very unfavorable inter-

national impressions. Representative Gardner called on the president today at the latter's request to discuss the request for an investigation. After Mr. Gardner's call, the following statement was given out at the White House

President Wilson's Attitude. "The president told Representative army and navy are ready for any Gardner that he was opposed to the event. For this military preparation method of inquiry proposed by Mr. both we and our predecessors have astion which might create very unfav. from documents, but not now."

orable international impressions. He stated to Mr. Gardner that he was entirely in favor of the fullest incoming by the committees of congress entirely in favor of the fullest in-quiry by the committees of congress and that there were no facts in the possession of the executive departments which were not at the disposal

of those committees."

During his call Mr. Gardner read he following two questions to the president:

"There are two ways of defeating my resolution. It can be defeated yea and nay vote, or it can be pigeonholed in the committee on rules. Which course do you advise?

"Will you authorize army and navy officers to testify before the rules committee on my invitation, either with or without restrictive instruc-

When Mr. Gardner left the president, he refused to say what answer had been given to his questions. White House officials said the formal statement given out would be the

only comment on the call. Gardner to Press Resolution. Mr. Gardner said he was not surprised at the president's position and would continue to press for passage of his resolution. Prior to Mr. Gardner's call, Chairman Tillman of the senate naval committee discussed national defenses with the president. Later he said he and the president agreed that the United States should have an adequate navy in accordance with the declarations of the last Democratic platform. He added that the

ranking Republican of the house naval committee, in a formal statement today, declared himself for a building timation of a new plan of offensive. program to include a large number of submarines and torpedo boats, more battleships and an increase in navy enlistments. He endorsed scheme of short term enlistment to to the south, involving an attempt to provide a mobile army of 500,000 and a national guard of 500,000.

coast. It is not clear whether the fully equipped hospital with twenty beds for the exclusive use of Russian by other warships or whether she wounded has been established in Pewas alone. The main German fleet trograd by members of the American been unable for two days to launch has been reported recently to be in colony in this capital. No contributions have been solicited or accepted from others than American. One preminent member of the little colony, consisting normally of some 60 persons, donated the quarters-a converted automobile garage-and provided the beds, linen and pajamas for patients and numerous other neces- warnings were affutter from Hatteras saries. The others almost to a man London, Nov. 27.—The Prince of have bound themselves to pay sums Wales, during his first week at the aggregating \$1500 monthly for the The movement started early in Ocseveral months, although he may be the members of the colony together aware Capes, disposed safely of

> Quick Work of Colony. The idea met with favor and becess of the movement. November 1 saw the beds installed, nurses enfor the reception of the first patlents. The women of the colony plunged actively into the work of

> getting subscriptions and rendered valuable aid in other directions. The Russian authorities when advised of the action expressed satisfaction and accepted the offer. To make the project conform to the Russian regulations the hospital was placed uder supervision of the capital's board of health. adopted was the city hospital of the

DAY IN CONGRESS

Senate: Met at noon Senator Camden of Kentucky, filling the unexpired term of the late

opening of congress to President Wilson and a recess was taken until 3

Representatives Price of Maryland, Parker of New Jersey and Vincent filling out unexpired terms,

Representative Sully of New Jer ey introduced a bill for an additional

federal judge in his state. Representative Borland introduced bill for a \$3,000,000 federal building in Kansas City, Mo.

Representative Levy introduced bill to authorize an issue of \$240,000 Panama canal bonds to create larger surplus in the treasury. Adjourned at 1:09 p. m., to noon

ITALIAN MILITARY

PREPARATION GOOD Rome, Dec. 5 (delayed in transmission) - Today, whoever has doubted the fitness of our army, whoever has

Such was the declaration made in the Italian chamber today by Premier be wrecked, Salandra, prior to the passage of a resolution expressing confidence in the government. This statement was included in a speech delivered in answer to attacks by certain deputies on

the government. "Regarding military preparation," he said, "I can affirm that the Italian

Storm Warnings Aflutter From Hatteras to Eastfort, Maine Ships in Distress.

WARSHIP CALLING AID

Wind Velocity Reach 72 Miles an Hour Off Block Island and 60 at Nantucket.

New York, Dec. 7 .- A roaring northeastern gale today swept the Atlan-tic coast at sixty miles an hour from North Carolina to Maine.

Chief among the many wrecks cast upon the shore was an unknown warship with four funnels and a fighting top which went ashore yesterday near Ocean City, Md. The identity of the vessel was hidden by a cloak of fog, but her desperate plight was manifested by continual shricking of be given because of the high seas, craft. Ocean Batters Seabright.

Lashed by the gale, the ocean bat tered the sea wall at Seabright, N. J. during the night and placed the town in imminent peril of destruction on the next high tide. Its streets were flooded, communication by rall was cut off breakers were rolling over the chief thoroughfare and undermining the foundations of the principal ward. buildings and there appeared every prospect that the damage would be

New York bay and harbor were prac tically cleared of all craft by the One fireboat was sunk at her On the New Jersey shore of the Hudson a new high water mark was set. The big waiting room of sponse. the Lackawanna terminal was flooded and nearly all ferries discontinued Along the coast of New England termen to believe that she is a for-the gale was especially violent. At eign battleship or cruiser. Point Judith, R. I., a small schooner Petrograd, Nov. 12.—(Correspond-ence of The Associated Press).—A thrown on the breakwater. Life savers seeking to rescue the crew of a

> Washington, Dec. 7.-Steadily increasing in its intensity and moving slowly northward, the sixty-mile gale which has been whipping the Atlantic coast since Saturday was central to day off the Virginia capes. N. C., to Eastport, Me, advising ma rines to seek safe harbors.

The unknown warship reported off the Maryland coast is believed by navy department officials here to be Norfolk and given a brief leave of absence at st the American consulate and pro-Christmas so that he may spend the posed the foundation of a hospital.

No American warship answering the description of the fighter reportfore adjournment enough progress ed ashore-four funnels and a fighting top-is anywhere near that vi-

No Word From the Itasca.

Today no word had come from the revenue cutter Itasca, which put out yesterday from Norfolk to ald the Nawy officials say that if the ship

is one of the foreign belligerents she probably is not using her wireless for fear of informing her enemies of the position. The velocity of the gale last night touched the high records in some instances. At midnight the wind was blowing 72 miles an hour at Block Island, 60 at Nantucket; 60 at Sandy Hook, 36 at Atlantic 60 at Delaware Breakwater; 36 at Norfolk and 36 at Cape Hatteras. When the storm became central off the Virginia Capes today, however, the wind velocity in that vicinity increased.

In Hampton Roads the old Frigate Constellation rode safely at anchor after a perilous experience Saturday when the gale parted her from her Senators Kern and Gallinger were tugs. Small shipping in Chesapeake appointed to join a house committee bay was damaged by the storm and to give formal notification of the the kind blew the water into the streets of Norfolk.

Steamer Calling for Help.

Baltimore, Dec. 7.-According to dispatch from Ocean City, Md., timed 10 a. m., today the steamer supposed there to be a warship, which grounded five miles below that place yesterday was still fast this morning and blowing her whistle continuously for The high sea and fog prevented assistance being rendered either from the shore or sea,

Atlantic City Pier Threatened.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 7 .- The northeast storm which has been ragng for two days was still lashing the New Jersey coast today though with less fury than yesterday. The terrific ocunding of the sea has caused considerable damage, but in no one place was it very serious except at the steel pier in this city, where the mu-Bic pavillon on the ocean end of that structure is threatened with destruction. The piling under the hall has been weakened and if the storm does not soon abate the auditorium may

Message to Daniels.

The following message was received today from the keeper of the life saving station at Ocean City, Md. in answer to an inquiry by Secretary Daniels

"Unable ascertain nationality kind of ship; has four funnels, two masts, fighting top on each as far as possible to see. Weather thick possible to see. Wes at Richmond.

Although the Kausas had reported she was waiting for the gale to abate,

Secretary Daniels early today sent O. H. S. instructions for her to report again.

the railroad tracks were covered by the lineup will be as follows:
the ocean for two miles and a storm lashed sea swept through breaks in Lon Romney....rf. the sea wall constructed after the floods of last year. With high tide to come the situation was alarming hope of preventing great loss.

The tide was sweeping the ground floors of houses and there appeared to he are unbroken attracts of water.

Losses estimated at \$100,000 were caused by the storm during the night. All business was suspended. First National bank vaults were flooded two feet deep. Waves broke over Ocean Boulevard, skirting the shore, and washed the earth from under many cottages. Several were in danger of collapsing.

Gale Sweeps New York Harbor. New York, Dec. 7.—The gale swept New York harbor and bay with great Vessels lying at dock in some instances were pounded against the piers. In one case a fire boat lying at a slip in St. George, Staten manifested by continual shricking of Island, was sunk in this manner. The her whistle for help which could not upper harbor was almost cleared of

> Warship Goes Out to Sea. telephone message at 12:38 p. m., from Ocean City Md, reported that the warship which had been grounded off that place had proceeded sea-

A forty-five mile gale was blowing and the weather was very thick making it impossible to learn the identity

Repeatedly during the night the Ocean City life saving crew tried to stated that she was certain that she exchange torch signals with the ship but could get no understandable re-This fact and the character of the lights she displayed last night and her distress signals led the wa-

Point Judith, R. I., Dec. 7 .- An uni dentified schooner which had sought shelter in the harbor of refuge here was torn adrift by the gale today six masted schooner which struck was torn adrift by the gale today Tuckernuck shoal on Saturday have and tossed on the breakwater, on top of which five members of the crew climbed for safety. Life savers start ed for the breakwater in the face of a sixty-mile gale

PLAINTIFF APPEALS TO THE SUPREME

In the district court, the plaintiff in the case of George A. Whitmeye against the Salt Lake & Ogden Rath way company has given notive of appeal to the supreme court.

The suit was instituted for dam ages to real estate by virtue of certain improvements made by the de fendant company in the vicinity of its barns on south Lincoln avenue Judgment of no cause of action was given June 16, 1914.

The appeal case of J. P. LaVelle against Carl A. Wiese was heard by given in favor of the defendant on his counter-claim in the sum of \$35.85. The court also announced that the plaintiff had no cause for action. The suit was begun in the municipal court on a contract.

BASKETBALL TEAN OF HIGH SCHOOLS ORGANIZED

The northern division of the Utah State High School Basbetkall league was formally organized yesterday at Brigham City, with A. A. Kerr of the Ogden high school as chairman. Mr. Kerr went to Brigham City with Coaches Lon Romney of the Ogden high school and Malcolm Watson of the Weber academy and met coaches from the Hyrum, Boxelder and Richmond high schools and the branch school of the State Agricultural college, for the purpose of organizing and making out a schedule for the season. The position to which he was elected was formerly occupied by Coach Roskelly of the Boxelder high school.

The meeting was a most enthusiastic one and some good contests are looked for, before the pennant win-ner in the division is announced. The schedule as far as the Ogden high school team is concerned, according Intermezzo, "The Secret" (Gautier), pilot off Blyth and those from the looked for, before the pennant winschool team is concerned, according to an announcement made this morn ing, will be as follows: January 8-O. H. S. vs. Boxelder, at

January 14-0, H. S. vs. Branch A. C. at Ogden. January 29-O. H. S. vs. Richmond.

t Ogden. February 5-O. H. S. vs. Hyrum, at February 12-O. H. S. vs. Weber, at

Weber academy, February 19-O. H. S. vs. Hyrum, at Hyrum

February 27-O. H. S. vs. Boxelder at Brigham City. On Friday evening of this week, the Seabright, N. J., Dec. 7.—The turn-ing of the ebb tide here today found Seabright's chief streets under water, The game will begin at 8 o'clock and

to be an unbroken stretch of water the first Orange and Black team will between Normandie and the High-lands, several miles. the opening of the league schedule

THE DISTRICT

In Judge James A. Howell's division of the district court this morning, the following disposition of the pro-

bate calendar was made: Petition for the confirmation of the Philadelphia, Dec. 7.—A dispatch to sale of certain real estate in the the Maritime Exchange from its station at Lewes, Delaware, says that a of Lewis Van Why et al, minors.

Estate and guardianship of Julius M. Peterson, incompetent, petition lowance and settlement of report of the guardian was granted.

The petition for the private sale of real estate, in the estate and guardianship of Percy Lee Keyes et al. was granted. Mrs. Keyes can sell the property to better advantage at private rather than public sale.

In the estate of Wilford E. Cragun deceased, the petition of some of the heirs for partial distribution of the estate was granted. The petition was not resisted by the other heirs. The petition for approval, allow

ance and settlement of report of administrator, in the matter of the estate of Brigham Ballantyne, deceased, was granted. Florence Evelyn Folkman was ap-

pointed administratrix of the estate of George Edward Folkman, deceased, and her bond fixed at \$400. The petition to sel real estate, in

the estate of Eliza Rainey, deceased, was granted. The petition for letters of administration, in the estate of H. C. Warner, deceased, was not heard, due to the absence of the petitioner. Hearing of the petition will be taken up at a

ADDRESSES SUNDAY NIGHT CLUB

Professor Guy Montgomery of Salt Lake City delivered a lecture last night before the Sunday Night club on the subject, "Some Practical Ap-plications of the Emmanuel Move-The meeting was held at the Judge Howell today and judgment Guild hall of the Church of the Good Shepherd and a large crowd of club members was present.

Mr. Montgomery conducts the Em manuel class of St. Mark's cathedral in Sait Lake City and in his talk to recover \$116, alleged to be due last night proved that he had made a careful study of his work. In applying the principles of the Emmanue movement to himself, the speaker stated, he had been benefited in many ways. His health had been improved and his mental attitude was now one of constant optimism, which gave him continued joy in life.

He had seen the same conditions come to other persons through applying the same principles to their he said, and knew that they would come to all who would study the movement and apply its teach-

Following the lecture, a general discussion was held and interesting points not considered in the address were brought out.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

ndustrial school and a large crowd of treat yesterday morning at the Tabernacle, when Organist Sam F. Whitaker rendered a special program of organ solos and James Jacobs sang following notification with regard to several tenor solos.

Mr. Whitaker's numbers were: Or- Forth: Intermezzo, "The Secret" (Gautier), pilot off Blyth and those from the "Hymn of the Nuns" (Welly). Each southward off the river Wear. Outone was played with care and much feeling and all present seemed to feel pilots off one or the other of these that the organist is not heard in solo places. work often enough

the numbers sung by him yesterday | tion. made their usual appeal to his hearers, through their fine rendition

As a sectal feature of the recital, pilot. February 20-O. H. S. vs. Richmond Planation of each number, so that February 26-O. H. S. vs. Weber, at stand its message.

Feeding Three Million Soldiers, Two Million Belgians and Eighty Thousand Prisoners.

PRODUCTION LIMITED

Butter, Eggs and Sugar Only Articles Higher in Price-Speculators Promptly Stopped.

Paris, Nov. 26.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—More than a hundred days of war; the mobilization of three million men; their equip-ment and feeding, and the feeding of two million Belgian refugees and of eighty thousand German prisoners have had no appreciable effect upon the cost of living in France.

Production, however, has been re-stricted by the occupation by the enemy of several departments, and the distribution of foodstuffs has been hindered by the calls made by the transportation facilities by the army.

Normal Market Mentioned. Normal market conditions have been maintained, partly by a remarkably prolific harvest of vegetables and fruit, partly by the suppression of necessaries and partly by confidence, preventing panicky fluctuations Meats advanced slightly at the out-

set—a purely speculative movement—

but combinations of housewives buy-

ing at wholesale at the central markets soon put a stop to it. Now beef costs the same as in 1913, excepting the cheaper bolling pieces, which are in great demand and have slightly advanced. Pork is cheaper than a year ago and poultry is from 15 to 30 cents a head cheaper. Potatoes are half a cent a pound

cheaper, beans unchanged, and bread unchanged Butter and eggs cost more today than a year ago and sugar is four cents a pound higher,

cheaper, cabbages six cents a head

Washington, Dec. 7.-Congress got back to work again today after a six weeks' rest to what promises to

billion dollar With crowded calendars confront ing both houses, senators and representatives settled down to passing the big appropriation bills and the administration program which President Wilson will ouline in his annual address tomorrow, in the hope that a special session may not be necessary after March 4.

In the house a few bills were dropped in the hopper, some new members were sworn in to fill vacancies and a large number of members departed to attend the funeral of the late E. A. Merritt of New York. Chaplains Pray for Peace. The house chaplain, Rev. Harry N.

Couden, in his invocation prayed That we may be at peace among ourselves and with all other nations." In the senate Chaplain Prettyman "Almighty God, we pray that our message to all the people may be that of peace and our influence in all

he world that of universal brother-Congress Notifies President. In the senate after Senators Kern and Gallinger had been appointed to join a house committee to formally

President Wilson of the opennotify ing of the session a recess was taken until 3 p. m. The house named Representatives Underwood, Fitzgerald and Mann to wait upon the president with Senators Gallinger and Kern and then a resolution was adopted fixing 12:30 p. m., tomorrow as the time of the joint session with the senate to hear

President Wilson read his annual ad-Then after resolutions of sympathy on the death of Representative E. A. Merritt of New York were adopted. the house adjourned at 1:09 p. m., until noon tomorrow.

AT THE TABERNACLE NEW BRITISH ORDERS The boys and girls of the state TO ALL SHIPPING

the River Type and the Firth of

"River Tyne-All incoming vessels

"Firth of Forth-All incoming ves-Mr. Jacobs is a blind student at the sels must call for a pilot at a stastate school for the deaf and blind, tion to be established on the isle of His singing has moved congregations May, outgoing vessels are to disin the city on several occasions and charge their pilots at the same sta-It will be dangerous for any vessel to be under way to the wester-ward of the Isle of May without a

Ambassador Page said he was informed that if the above instructions the congregation could better under- were carried out, commerce could utilize those ports with safety.